## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

TODD FRANKFORT; CURTIS

GOODBAN; and SARINA GUTIERREZ, solution individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated, solution individually situated, solution individual situated, solution individual

Defendant.

## ORDER OF REFERENCE

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Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b), Plaintiffs' Motion for Class Certification ("Motion") (Doc. 14), filed December 5, 2024, is hereby referred to United States Magistrate Judge Brian McKay for hearing, if necessary, and for the United States Magistrate Judge to submit to the court proposed findings and recommendations for disposition of the Motion. This order of reference also prospectively refers all procedural motions that are related to the referred Motion to the United States Magistrate Judge for resolution. All future filings regarding the referred Motion shall be addressed "To the Honorable United States Magistrate Judge"—not to the district judge or court—so that filings will reach him without delay.

Local Civil Rules 72.1 and 72.2 provide that, unless otherwise directed by the presiding district judge, a party who files objections under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 72(a) and (b)(2) to magistrate judge orders regarding pretrial nondispositive matters, or findings and recommendations on dispositive motions, may file a reply brief within 14 days from the date the response to the objections or response brief is filed. The court does not allow parties to file a reply

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brief with respect to magistrate judge orders or findings and recommendations, unless leave is granted to file the reply brief. The court will strike or disregard any reply brief filed in violation of this order.

It is so ordered this 6th day of December, 2024.

Sam A. Lindsay
United States District Judge